



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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February 14, 2017

Mr. Brian Mikucki
Tierra Solutions, Inc.
2 Tower Center Blvd., 10th Floor
East Brunswick, NJ 08816

RE: Remedy Evaluation Report, Diamond Alkali Superfund Site – Newark, NJ,
Consent Decree Civil Action No. 89-5064

Dear Mr. Mikucki:

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has received your letter of February 3, 2017 in response to EPA's January 19, 2017 comment letter regarding Tierra Solutions, Inc.'s submittal, on behalf of Occidental Chemical Corporation, entitled *Remedy Evaluation Report, Diamond Alkali Superfund Site, Newark, NJ, November 2015, Revision 0* (RER). The proposal to respond with a Response to Comment (RTC) document is acceptable, however, the timeframe for submittal is not acceptable. EPA requests that you submit the RTC by March 10, 2017.

We appreciate your cooperation with this effort. Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Elizabeth Butler", is written over a horizontal line.

Elizabeth Butler, Remedial Project Manager
Emergency and Remedial Response Division

cc: Mike Anderson, Glen Springs Holdings, Inc.